

THE HOME CIRCLE.

Pleasant Reveries—A Column
Dedicated to Tired Mothers
as they Join the Home
Circle at Evening Tide.

The woman in every house makes the moral and mental atmosphere of that house just as decidedly as the sunshine or rain affect the natural atmosphere outside of it.

"There are two ways of becoming rich: either by adding to your wealth, so that you can buy all you want, or by reducing your wants so that your wealth will meet them."

Be courteous to all, but intimate with few, and let those few be well tried before you give them your confidence. Associate with men of good quality, for it is easy to make acquaintances, but hard to shake them off, however irksome and unprofitable they are found.

—George Washington

LEAKS IN THE HOME.

(Written for Cumberland County, Pa., by Mrs. Susie Winslow, Editor of Pleasantville Grange.)

In these progressive days of higher and broader education of women, domestic science has become one of the foremost topics of the present time. Now domestic science is nothing more or less than good old-fashioned housekeeping, and whether it is called by one name or the other, it should be the principle study of a woman's life.

My subject today is "Leaks in the Home." Now there are very many such leaks. Some homes have one and some another, but I shall only speak of five—those which I consider the most common leaks in the home.

No. 1. Lack of proper utensils and apparatus to work with.

The up-to-date and enterprising farmer provides himself with every modern farming tool and implement that can possibly aid and further his work, being constantly on the alert for the best and easiest way it can be done.

Now, the up-to-date, enterprising housekeeper (and that is the kind every housekeeper ought to be) should provide herself with everything that can make her work lighter.

The absence of running water in the home is the bane of many a woman's life, and the energy exhausted by the pump handle and the water-pail would furnish power for a good many pumping stations. In these days of modern machinery and inventions, there are but very few homes which could not have a water supply in their kitchen. A ten percentage to have it, but there are still a great many which depend on the door yard pump, and this I consider one of the bad leaks in the home.

Now many of the sisters have tried to use an old worn-out cook stove, which devoured fuel like the giant in the fairy tales and yet absolutely refused to bake on the bottom, even though it burned to a crisp on the top. To save a leak in the temper as well as in the pocket book.

The best modern implements for the laboring of women's labors are not expensive, as a rule. The hand vacuum cleaner, the electric iron, also the gas and coal carbon iron, the washing machine, meat chopper, oil stove, and clothes wringer are among the most necessary, and one good double mow-

ing machine would buy the whole of them.

Even these little pyramid fly-catchers, that cost just five cents, have helped the housekeeper in destroying that terrible pest—the common house fly.

Give a woman the proper things to work with, and one leak in the home will be stopped.

Second on my list of leaks is improperly cooked food.

This human body is a vast engine which demands its fuel in the shape of food. When Mr. Skillin gets a poor

carload of coal, he finds it almost impossible to keep up the heat in his greenhouses. Just so when the fuel is poor and improperly cooked, this poor body of ours is going to suffer.

Some women seem to begrudge and think wasted every minute that they spend in cooking and serving meals, and anything in the shape of food, no matter whether it is half done or how it is served, will do for the family. Domestic science emphasizes very plainly this fact, that the woman who gives to her family a dinner of good wholesome food, well cooked and properly served, has an accomplishment to be proud of.

Above everything, get your food done, not burned but well done, especially fish and meats, for underdone fish and meats have been the cause of more dyspepsia and bad dreams than the proverbial mince pie. So much for my second leak.

(To be continued.)

PRACTICAL POINTERS.

Corks steeped in vasoline are excellent substitutes for glass stoppers. Acids cannot affect them and chemical fumes do not eat them.

In refinishing furniture it is sometimes necessary that the old varnish be removed, which in most cases, is very difficult. Three tablespoonsful of cooking soda to a quart of water applied with a rough piece of cloth will remove the old varnish very easily.

Here is a fact worth knowing when you cook eggs. A spoonful of flour added to the grease in which the eggs are to be fried will prevent them from breaking or sticking to the pan.

If you have trouble with cakes falling after they are put in the oven, try giving the pan a few knocks before it is put in. This causes the air bubbles to come to the surface and break.

To paper a room cheaply and artistically use rolls of the coarse brown paper, butchers use for wrapping paper. Put it on the walls in the same way ordinary wall paper is put on.

To make new potatoes scrape easily and to prevent the fingers becoming soiled while preparing them, soak the potatoes a little while in water in which a small piece of common soda has been dissolved.

It is often found a difficulty to cook rice so that every grain is dry and separate. The following method should be tried: Having washed a breakfast cup full of rice in several waters, throw it into a large saucepan full of cold water. Bring it gently to a boil, then cook it for a quarter of an hour, when it should be perfectly tender and each grain be distinct. Pour it into a large platter and let it drain in front of the fire. Should it not be quite dry spread the rice on a dish and stand it in the oven, with the door open for a short time.

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He respects all your moods.
He never tells you his troubles.

He never goes into your secrets.
He is gentle and thanks you with his tail for every kind word you say to him.

He will fight for you.
He misses you when you are away.

He rejoices when you return.
He is faithful until death.

He does what you tell him without knowing why.

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Send for list of symptoms.

Do not enlarge your child's health, but get a bottle of Dr. True's Elixir, the Family Laxative and Worm Expeller, at once. Good for adults also. At your dealer's, 35c, 50c and \$1. Advice free. Special treatment for tapeworms. Send for book.

Auburn, Maine. Dr. True

DIXFIELD.

The semi-annual meeting of the Oxford Association of Congregational churches was held with the Dixfield Congregational church Tuesday and Wednesday, Oct. 14 and 15. Among the speakers present were: Rev. Charles Harbutt of Portland, Rev. and Mrs. W. C. Curtis of Bethel, Rev. Florence Ellis, Portland, Miss Edith Seamon, Saco, Rev. Malcolm McKay, Oxford, Rev. R. J. Bruce, Norway, George R. Carter, Mexico, Rev. D. L. Pettengill, Byron, Rev. and Mrs. T. D. Preston, Andover, W. H. Eastman, East Sumner, Rev. H. E. Gilkey, Dixfield. Among the visiting delegates were: Mrs. J. N. Atwood, East Sumner; Mrs. G. K. Carter, Mrs. M. J. Reynolds, Mrs. Scott Dorr, Mexico; Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Dean, Andover; Miss Augusta Eastman, Miss Mariel Palmer, East Sumner; Mrs. Y. A. Tharston, Andover; Mrs. D. L. Pettengill, Byron. Topic for the service held Tuesday P. M. was "The Prosperous Christian Church." (a) What is a Prosperous Church, by Rev. D. L. Pettengill. Topic for morning service held Wednesday was "The New Constitution of the National Council." The time was well taken up by the several interesting speakers at the different sessions. Devotional service, Song and Praise service, Women's Hour, Address, Question Box, and Business meeting. Communion was observed at close of meetings Wednesday. The Church Aid Society served a Harvest dinner Tuesday at their rooms in Masonic building, and a baked bean dinner Wednesday. The meetings were much enjoyed by all who were present.

Gay Gardner moved his household goods last week to the Foster house on Main street, which he has recently purchased.

Harry Marsh, Dixfield's undertaker, is to occupy the Norman Marsh rent on West street just vacated by Mr. Daniel and will move his goods and family to this week.

The party given Saturday afternoon by Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Merrill in honor of their daughter, Pearl's, tenth birthday, was a very pleasant occasion. Those present were: Marion Noyes, Eva Pratt, Grace Fletcher, Gladys Fletcher, Margo Edwards, Melba Edwards, Margie Barker, Alice Haines, Ethel Hill and Leona Paine. Games were enjoyed, and refreshments consisting of home-made pastries, tarts, assorted cake, grapes and bananas were served. Miss Pearl was the recipient of several beautiful and useful presents.

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CANTON

Mrs. Helen A. Eastman of Canton is visiting her sister, Mrs. Harmon French and family, of Woodford.

E. E. Whitman was called away last week by the illness of his mother, who was taken from her home in East Dixfield to the hospital at Lewiston.

* Deputy Sheriff John Briggs has been attending court at So. Paris.

Mrs. Mabelle Glines has been attending the Rehearsal Assembly at Portland as a delegate from Powness Rehearsal Lodge.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie W. Walker and child have been visiting in Tarrar and at her former home in Auburn.

Ansel Ellis is taking lessons on the corner of Charles Johnson of Lewiston.

Mrs. W. L. York has been on the sick list the past week.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. James Brennan of Auburn last week. Mrs. Brennan was Miss Eunice Douglas of Canton before marriage.

J. Clyde Dickson and family of Canton and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Carver of Winthrop have been on an auto trip to Portland and Boston.

John Briggs has been attending the Pysburg fair.

Robert Swett has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. Lizzie Hutchins, and son, Clifford Swett, of Portland, and attending the Grand Lodge.

Mrs. Maurice J. Howes submitted to a surgical operation at her home Wednesday. The operation was performed by Dr. Band of Livermore Falls and Morse of Canton. A trained nurse, Miss Wallace, is caring for Mrs. Howes, who is as comfortable as can be expected.

The grocery store of Charles H. Gilbert has been closed.

Ina Thomas has returned to her home in Auburn.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Lucas have been visiting their daughter, Mrs. A. L. Newman and family, of Auburn.

The mill of Joseph Leroy has been moved from Livermore Falls to Worthley Pond, where it will be operated.

Mrs. Clara Hayford has returned from a visit in Melway, Mass.

L. W. Smith and family have returned from their auto trip.

The work of Evergreen Chapter, O. E. S., will be inspected Tuesday evening, Nov. 11th, by Grand Matron Mary B. Price of Richmond.

John Mitchell, who is employed at Wells Beach, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Mitchell.

Benjamin S. Draper and family have moved from Gilbertville to the Dunn house on Canal, on Point street.

Merton Ellis has been visiting in Lewiston.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Ingersoll and son, John, of Winthrop, have been visiting relatives in town.

E. G. House and daughter, Pauline, were guests of Mrs. G. P. Towle, Sunday.

Mrs. Amanda House and daughter, Mrs. Ernest Harmon, are visiting in Norway.

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EAST BETHEL.

Mr. John Howe is working at Bethel village.

P. B. Howe has a new driving horse.

Miss Emma MayConnell is working for Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Blake.

Miss Edna Farrell is visiting friends at Berlin, N. H.

Mrs. Herbert Lyon and two little daughters of Rumford are guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Bartlett.

Mr. Carl H. Swan and friend of Worcester, Mass., are guests of his father, Mr. J. H. Swan and family, for a short vacation.

Mrs. George W. Blake of Mahlen, Mass., was the guest of relatives here the past week, called home by the death of her father, Mr. Nathaniel P. Swan, also Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Swan of Berlin, N. H., Mr. and Mrs. E. Blake and others from Milan, N. H., came to attend Mr. Swan's funeral.

Mr. Nathaniel P. Swan, one of Bethel's oldest and much respected citizens, died at his home in East Bethel, Monday, Oct. 19, aged about 80 years. Funeral services were held at the church, Wednesday afternoon the 19th, Rev. Mr. Roberts of Hartford attending clergyman. Burial was in East Bethel cemetery.

Mr. Swan has been in feeble health for several years. He leaves two daughters and three sons, also one brother. There were beautiful floral tributes.

NORTH WATERFORD.

The visitors coming here to attend the World's Fair have nearly all returned home.

Mrs. Alphonsa Charles, Mrs. W. D. Monahan, Mrs. Charles York, Mrs. Ella Elliott and Mrs. W. A. Munting attended the Rehearsal Assembly in Portland last week.

Mrs. W. S. Perkins is visiting relatives in Massachusetts. Mrs. Mattie Rich is keeping house for her.

Howard Russell of Bingham visited at E. H. Nason's during the Fair. Mr. Russell lived here several years, and ran a blacksmith shop for sometime in this place.

Marion Andrews, who has been visiting at J. W. Dresser's, is now with her uncle, Charles Marston, of Albany. James Brown accompanied by his grandson, Winfield Brown, also by niece and her son, Carl, in Lowell.

Walker Nason and family of Bingham visited here during the Fair, and it was the first of the week moved his goods to Bingham, where he has employment for the winter.

Mrs. Lillian Douglas is keeping house for M. P. Knight.

Mrs. Maud Decker is at work for Mrs. Charles Cheever.

Virgil Littlefield's auto truck of Stoneham went through the place Thursday evening carrying a party to a dance at North Waterford.

GROVER HILL.

"Now autumn's thins the changing leaves,
And mellow autumn's softer shies,
And harvest brings its golden sheaves,
And purple clusters of the vine."

Quite a rainy season.
Mr. M. A. Jordan and daughter, Marion Jordan, from Mechanic Falls, were guests at M. P. Tyler's, Sunday.

Charles and Harry Lyon were in the place for hunting, Saturday.

Miss Helen Blake, who has spent the summer with relatives in town, returned to her home at Portsmouth, N. H., Friday.

Dr. R. H. and Mrs. Tibbitts were in the place Saturday.

Mr. Payson Philbeck, who has been doing carpenter work for Mr. H. M. Wood, West Bethel, expects to complete his work there this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Harwood returned to their home and business at Bethel Falls, Vt., last week, after enjoying a long vacation with relatives here, and at Mahlen, and Mechanic Falls.

Mr. Edwin T. and Mrs. Harwood drove to Bridgton and visited relatives and friends just before their return home.

James McAllister and family expect to move away from this place quite soon.

Miss Mabel Bennett is building another, and larger new house this fall.

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RUMFORD.

Mrs. R. M. Woodsum was the guest of her son, Ralph, in Portland over Sunday, who is attending Business College in that city.

Mrs. Maurice Reynolds of Beverly, Mass., is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Atwood, for a week.

The Duplez Club will meet with Dr. Evelyn Noyes at her home on Lockness Road, Friday evening.

Miss Charlotte French was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Herbert Cloudman, of Westbrook, over Sunday.

Mrs. Margaret's Guild met with Mrs. Gilpatrick, Tuesday afternoon at her home on Lockness Road.

The Searchlight Club was entertained by Mrs. E. L. Cowan on Friday afternoon, and the study of South America was continued, and several very interesting papers read.

Daniel McCoy was called to Bangor, Monday, by the death of his grandfather.

R. T. Parker was called to Portland, Monday, on business.

The Searchlight Club will have a Domestic Science afternoon, Friday, at the Business Men's Club Rooms, and each member has the privilege of inviting two guests. These afternoons are held each year by the Club and are always most enjoyable affairs.

The friends of Rev. G. A. Martin of Bangor will be pleased to know that he has so far recovered from his operation for appendicitis, performed at the Deaconess Hospital in Boston, as to be able to return to his home in Bangor.

Mrs. E. W. Howe is expected home this week from a several weeks visit with friends in Montreal.

The continued rainy weather which has prevailed for the past week has had a depressing effect upon the minds of the general public.

The formal opening of the Mechanics Institute will occur on Tuesday, Oct. 29th. There will be a concert by the Symphony Orchestra followed by addresses given by various prominent citizens. After this a ball will be enjoyed; this is all free to one and all whether members of the Institute or not.

Robert Shand, Vera Foley and a party of young people took supper at Hill's Camp at Indian Rock, Sunday.

Philip Hoyt, for some time employed by J. E. Stephens, as book keeper, left Monday to accept a position in the woods, as scaler.

Mrs. Herbert Lyon and two children are the guests of Mrs. Lyon's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bartlett, of East Bethel.

The Ladies' Aid of the Universalist Church are planning for a Bazaar Sale on Wednesday of next week.

Miss Dorothy Kimball of Littlefield and a student at the Rumford High School is ill with scarlet fever.

The room where she had been in the Stephens School was thoroughly fumigated and all precautions taken against spreading the disease.

The annual sale and supper of St. Athanasius Church will be held on Tuesday, October 29th at K. of P. Hall on Canal Street.

Prof. Thiele has organized a Musical History Club which bids fair to be of great interest to its members as well as educating. The first meeting was held at the office of Prof. Thiele and the following officers chosen: Prof. Miss E. Colby; vice Pres., Miss L. Gould; Sec., Miss A. Bennett; Treas., Mrs. B. Lapham. After the business of the meeting was over Prof. Thiele gave a most interesting talk upon the origin of music up to the Greek period.

E. L. Cowan and Alfred Sparks attended the Topham Fair one day last week.

Mrs. John Hadley and her mother, Mrs. Geo. D. Kidger, returned Monday.

WHAT ARE YOU DOING To Keep Well?

To be still strong and active at 40 or 50, to be well, free from pain and discomfort at 75 or 80. Are you careful about your eating, eat slowly and the right kind of food? Exercise enough? A good night's sleep? Plenty of fresh air to your sleeping apartments at night? Watching the bowels and liver to keep them active, taking a teaspoonful of "E. P." Atwood's Medicine to cleanse them when needed and to break up a cold when first symptoms appear?

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night from a few weeks visit in Boston and vicinity.

Miss Vivian Brown and Miss Lena Feltz attended a Rebekah meeting in City Hall, Portland, on Tuesday evening of last week.

The engagement of Miss Julia Murdoch of Rumford and Jack Rennie of Holyoke, Mass., is announced. Miss Murdoch is well known in Rumford circles and has many friends.

The funeral of Luigi Reias, who was murdered recently at the Joe Bill house was held Sunday of last week in the Municipal Court Room with Rev. Jos. Parillo officiating.

The embroidery class at the Institute will re-open on Thursday evening, October 23rd. Last year quite a class of young ladies took advantage of this instruction and derived much benefit from it.

A most delightful time was enjoyed at the banquet tendered Mrs. Genie Leslie of Fitchburg, Grand Deputy of the Scottish Clans, at Hotel Rumford on Monday evening.

The Ladies' Auxiliary to Clan Chisholm acted as hostesses. Mrs. Percy Sweetser, president of the Auxiliary, acted as toastmistress of the evening. The tables were charmingly decorated with cut flowers and sprays of green. One of the most interesting features of the evening was the short address given by Mrs. Leslie.

The annual meeting of the Altogether Club was held on Monday evening at the home of Miss Edith Plagg, and the following officers were elected: Pres., Mrs. Allan J. Reed; Vice Pres., Mary Morse; Treas., Edith Plagg; Sec., Alwilda Osgood. After the business of the evening was finished the hostess served light refreshments.

Thos. Halkett is spending a few weeks in Boston and Connecticut.

Miss Harriet Wheel, the small daughter of Dr. and Mrs. F. E. Wheel, fell from a hayrack at Smith's Crossing recently and broke her arm.

Mrs. A. L. Stanwood and Miss Mary Stanwood returned Wednesday of last week from a short stay in Boston with friends.

Mrs. Roy C. Latimer of Saratoga, New York, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Harris.

On Friday evening the Cosmos Club held its usual meeting at Hotel Rumford with P. E. McCarthy as the speaker, his subject being "Land Reclamation by the Federal Government." It was also voted at this meeting to hold no more meetings at Hotel Rumford as the service and the food has been so unsatisfactory that the members decided to hold all meetings henceforth at the Business Men's Club rooms, dispening with supper.

On Thursday evening the members of the Y. P. C. U. held a social at the church parlor in honor of Rev. Wm. Usakin, who has recently become their pastor. Chaffin dish refreshments were served and a general good time enjoyed.

Mrs. Harry Mosher is visiting relatives in Oakland.

Mr. and Mrs. Glendon Stephens left Saturday for several months stay at the Stephens camp on Moosehead Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Eaton are enjoying a few weeks vacation in New York and Washington.

F. E. Randall went up to the Summit, Tuesday night with S. J. Gouge to take some pictures of the camp and the work going on there.

RYAN'S POND.

Harriet S., widow of Augustus Billings, died of pneumonia at the home of her son, James Billings, Oct. 17th. She was born in Oxford 40 years ago and her father, Simon Howe, moved to this town in 1833. Four sons and one daughter survive her. The funeral was held at the home of her son Monday afternoon, attended by Rev. E. H. Storer of the Baptist church.

Everett Toolidge has sold his house and lot in North Woodstock village to Josiah Richardson, who recently bought the Jackson store property there.

George Quincy Perham has colored all the well in front of his residence making it eight feet in diameter and six feet deeper than the old one. Mr. Perham will put in a pressure tank and supply his large set of buildings with water.

Mrs. Newton Bryant has gone to the Maine General Hospital for treatment. Mrs. Ella Mottishaw while on a hunting trip in Grafton last week secured a fine deer.

Mrs. Laura Meier attended the Topham fair last week.

Nearly all of the apples in town have been sold to R. L. Cummings at three dollars a barrel.

Winfield Powers is out again after an illness of several weeks.

George A. English has returned from a business trip to New York and Williamsport, Conn.

DOES BACKACHE WORRY YOU?

Some Rumford Falls People Have Learned How To Get Relief.

How many people suffer from aching back?

How few know the cause? If it hurts to stoop or lift—If you suffer sudden, darting pains—If you are weak, lame and tired—Suspect your kidneys.

Watch for nature's signal. The first signal may be headache or dizziness.

Scanty, painful, or too frequent urination.

Nervousness or a constant, dandrified feeling.

Avert the serious kidney diseases. Treat the weakened kidneys with Doan's Kidney Pills.

A remedy especially for sick kidneys.

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Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

WEST BETHEL.

Mrs. H. P. Dennison and Mrs. Maude O'Reilly were in Bethel village, Friday, also Mrs. L. E. Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Vashaw came from Grafton, Friday, to spend Sunday.

George Bennett was in this place last of the week.

An auto party consisting of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Mills and two gentlemen from Portland called at W. D. Mills, Friday on their way to Errol and Colebrook, N. H.

Mr. and Mrs. Billie Mills came from Poland Spring, Tuesday, to spend a few days with his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Mills.

Miss Mabel Seither came home Tuesday for a few days.

Mrs. P. L. Ordway and Doris were in South Paris, Monday and Tuesday.

Ed Kennaugh from Gorham, N. H., was here Sunday.

Died in West Bethel, Oct. 19, Mr. Isaac Burres, aged about 30 years.

His funeral was held from the Union Church, Tuesday, Oct. 21, Rev. T. C. Chapman speaking words of comfort.

Interment in Pine Grove cemetery. He leaves a wife and three small children. One brother came from Massachusetts.

MASON.

Mrs. Fred Mandt called on Mrs. S. O. Grover one day recently.

Irene Morrill was in Norway, visiting relatives a few days last week.

Abel Andrews was in town, Saturday, on business.

Ed Grover spent the week end at home.

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ANDOVER.

Mrs. Hannah Hanson of Rumford is visiting at Burton Hanson's.

Geo. Thomas and wife were guests of their daughter, Mrs. Roger Thurston, recently.

Owen Smith and wife of Mexico were dinner guests of Mrs. Betsey Hastings, Sunday.

The Ladies' Aid of the Congregational Church met with Mrs. Girdler Sweet, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Hanson were guests of X. A. Thurston and wife, Sunday.

Mr. John H. Maxwell, Supreme Representative of the K. of P. Lodge, visited Cabot Lodge, Friday evening, Oct. 17th.

Frank Newton, wife and daughter, returned from Massachusetts, Saturday, where they have been spending a few weeks.

Dr. F. E. Leslie and wife were in Rumford, Wednesday of last week.

The Andovers played two games of base ball Saturday with the Rumford High school team, beating them in both games.

The Universalist sociable was held Tuesday evening, Oct. 14, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Holton Abbott.

Mrs. Richard Talbot and little daughter from Augusta have been visiting Mrs. Talbot's mother, Mrs. Frank Akers.

Mrs. Edward Coburn and Mrs. Arthur Whiting are out from the Middle Dam, where they have been the past season.

Mrs. Ralph Thurston returned the first of the week from a visit with friends in Errol.

Eben Learned has been visiting friends in Rumford.

Roy Hilton from Bridgton is spending his vacation with his family at S. W. Marston's.

Miss Mabel Holman is assisting Mrs. Sylvanus Poor.

Chas. York has completed his work driving stage and will go into the meat business. He will drive a cart through-out town.

Lone Mt. Grange held its first all day meeting Saturday, Oct. 18. Dinner was served by the committee, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Akers and Mrs. Harvey Newton. The following program was carried out: Our game laws. Are they written for the farmer or the sportsman? The crops that pays the best with the reason why. The animals that bring me the most profit, Geo. Abbott, W. W. Perkins, L. B. Hall, J. L. Bailey, Ceres' Hour in charge of Mrs. J. L. Bailey was given thus—Music, Grace Mitchell; reading, Florence Lovejoy; reading, Mrs. Vard Peckio; song, Mrs. Harry Thomas (soprano); reading, E. M. Bailey; reading, Mrs. Y. A. Thurston; music, Sadie Bailey; reading, J. L. Bailey; music, Mrs. O. J. Burgess; the new Burgess; reading, Maria Ladd; reading, Mrs. Dorothy Baker.

Sunday was observed as Rally Day at the Congregational church. The Sunday school gave the following program:

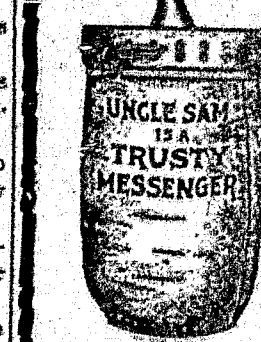
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Hymn, Offering.

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CALL FOR OXFORD COUNTY BONDS.

To The Holders Of Oxford County Court House Bonds.

By order of the County Commissioners of Oxford County notice is hereby given that Bonds numbered 201 to 220 inclusive, are called for payment and are payable at the Norway National Bank, at Norway, Maine, on Nov. 1, 1913, and that interest on said bonds will cease after that date.

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THE NATIONAL CAPITAL.

Events of Interest from the Seat of Government.

By J. E. Jones.

Vocational Education.

There are few men in Congress who have been fighting constantly for several years for a vocational educational bill in order that agricultural extension work may be better carried on in the different states. Representative McLaughlin of Michigan has been one of the foremost of the northern men to further this legislation, and he has finally brought to his support as the result of dogged perseverance a great many of his fellow Members. A few days ago Representatives Willis of Ohio, Powers of Kentucky, Townner of Iowa, and Fess of Ohio, spoke in support of this class of legislation. Representative Hardy of Texas raised a discordant note because of the belief that such matters belong to the states rather than to the federal government, which brought the rejoinder from Treasury of Massachusetts that Republicans, Democrats, and Progressives should lose sight of unimportant prejudice in order to further educational advantages for the rising generation.

The Alluring Chautauqua.

It would seem that Champ Clark is always obliged to cancel his Chautauqua lecture engagements. Last year and the year before he had to deprive himself of this grand source of profit, and now hat upon the heels of the announcement that Secretary Bryan has "cleaned up" \$4,500, the venerable statesman from Pike County, Missouri, has let it be known that he must stay most of the time in Washington, looking after the affairs of the nation, and thereby deprive the Chautauqua patrons of the luxury of listening to his eloquence. As a substitute Mr. Clark will make a number of addresses in nearby cities during the short recesses of the House of Representatives.

Improving the Talking Machine.

Out of the large number of inventions pertaining to talking machines, there has appeared in the Patent Office a simple clarifying, articulating, amplifying attachment for these machines, which M. B. Claussie, the inventor says was discovered by the accidental touching of a fine needle with the finger while a record was being played. Mr. Claussie in his statement for the benefit of the Scientific American said that he immediately conceived the idea that if he could add power to the vibration of this fine needle it would reproduce all there was in the record with volume equal to that of a heavy needle, without any of the heavy needle effects such as scratch and distortion. By means of a fine needle, he said, he was able to obtain the desired volume was obtained, and tones never heard before were brought forth. It is declared that as a result "the singer or musician was in the room, not in the box. It reproduced all the artist put into the record in the artist's natural voice or the musician's natural touch." The record is a statement several months ago.

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as the enunciation was not as plain and distinct as the human voice in its ordinary use. This has been emphasized in the case of the "talking movies." The discovery of Mr. Claussie may revolutionize the reproduction of talking machine records, and pave the way to more perfect results in telephonic communications.

Foss, Massachusetts and the Managers. Considerable interest is felt in Washington in the Massachusetts election, especially in view of the attitude of Governor Foss, who has carried out in Massachusetts the reputation he established while in Congress, of doing things in his own way. While the different party national campaign committees are more or less inactive, yet there is plenty of evidence about the headquarters that the managers are dipping into the Massachusetts fight in the interest of the several candidates. There seems to be a feeling among politicians that an unusual amount of attention is being given by the people throughout the country to elections in an off year, and according to the managers viewpoint the indecision supposed to exist among the voters is being influenced more at this time through the reshaping of national legislation and political methods than at any period in a quarter of a century. Therefore, they view it as important that "every little movement" should be directed in such a way as to benefit their political interest if they expect to remain in power, or return to the cherished seats of the mighty.

The Currency Bill.

President Wilson is preparing to take the bits in his teeth and force Democratic recalcitrants to get busy. He has been holding conferences with Senators O'Gorman, Reed, Hitchcock, and others who have not found it convenient to walk the Administration track. Mr. Hitchcock makes the astonishing statement that over three hundred amendments are necessary to the House bill. While this is rather startling, yet more than twice that number were tacked on to the tariff bill before it finally became a law. The President has been very cordial with his visitors, but he has been emphatic that he expects the measure to be passed at the special session of Congress, and he makes it plain to members of his party that failure to do so will be a violation of the pledges given by the Democratic party to the people of the country. On the other hand, it is clear that the opponents of the currency bill are leaving no stone unturned to prevent its passage at the special session.

A Mixed Trio.

According to the Washington viewpoint, the appearance simultaneously of Secretary Bryan, Senator Cummins, and former Senator Beveridge upon the public platform in Iowa is of a good deal of significance. It is said that these three have been discussing matters in Iowa with the idea that their utterances are to be regarded more or less as "key notes" for the lower lights. There is every indication that the three political parties are very carefully preparing the ground work of a fierce struggle to capture the congressional elections next year, and the political activities of Bryan, Cummins, and Beveridge have doubtless been partially approved by the managers of the different political organizations, who are carefully interesting themselves in everything that is being pulled off.

Independence by Piecemeal.

It has been made clear by the Administration that independence for the Philippines is not to be accorded in a hurry, and Governor General Harrison upon his arrival at Manila gave out a document in behalf of President Wilson to the effect that the people of the islands should be content to be granted additional liberties by easy stages. The President proposes to give the Philippines the majority control in both Houses of the Legislature but when it comes to absolute independence as provided by the Democratic measure known as the Jones bill, it is clear that the Administration, while seeking to comply with the Baltimore platform, will proceed cautiously.

Where are the Cabinet Days?

Some of the sleuths of the pen who "cover" the Executive Mansion in large numbers have been discovered that there has been no meeting of the President's cabinet for several months, and it has just dawned upon these knights of the pen that President Wilson stated some time ago that there would be a suspension of that function as he preferred to consult his advisers individually. So far as is known absolute harmony exists in the Presidential cabinet. The cabinet on the tariff and currency legislation, as well as in the treatment of all the other great problems of government, it turns out that President Wilson has been in the habit of consulting the members of his official cabinet one at a time instead of collectively. The former conferences in the state room upon which the eyes of the nation were turned twice a week or oftener have about ceased to be.

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be the whole show himself.

"Adulterated Fabrics."

The principle applied in the "pure food" law passed in 1906 seems likely to be extended to "pure fabrics." Bills with this in view have been introduced in Congress from time to time, but as they have commanded no particular public support they have not progressed very far. It is now said that President Wilson is very much in favor of some sort of legislation such as that presented by Representative Lindquist of Minnesota. This bill provides for the regulation in interstate commerce of all "adulterated fabrics." It is common knowledge that the consumer is frequently worsted in the purchase of silks, linens, woolsens, and even cottons, and unless the purchaser be a good judge of goods there are no laws to prevent adulterations of all kinds of fabrics. The remedy proposed is to compel manufacturers to label their goods, showing of just what material they are made.

Thinks Treaty is Very Bad.

Senator Martine of New Jersey entertains small respect for the Hay-Pauncefote treaty, under which he declares that "we were told a year or so ago that the treaty forbade us from fixing canal tolls that favor our own ships." Now, according to the Senator, "under this treaty 'we cannot relate to shippers freighting out our own ships.'" The Senator adds that he believes that if some diplomat or foreign sympathizer would carefully examine the Hay-Pauncefote treaty "it might be discovered that the United States had no right to exist at all." He voiced the belief in the course of his speech that the United States should "stand pat" on its action in reference to American shipping and canal tolls and asserted that "when it comes to the management of our own internal affairs, I say to the world, 'hands off.'"

Segregation of the Races.

Representative Rogers of Massachusetts has taken the initiative to start an investigation of the rumors that some of the cabinet officers have been segregating the races in their Departments. While there has been no formal issue in regard to segregation, there is a lot of talk to the effect that Postmaster General Burleson can give some information that will explain the rumors that have been current for several weeks. Congressman Rogers wants to "smoke out" the Postmaster General and the Secretary of the Treasury. It is claimed that many colored people who were in high fettle during the Taft regime have been set down a peg in the new Administration.

Hard to Keep Track of Mexico.

The Wilson Administration has evidently given up trying to keep its thumb on the Mexican situation. Famous lies never jumped so swiftly nor unceremoniously as Huerta, but since less than five thousand Americans are said to still remain in the troubled regions of Mexico the strain upon the Washington government inflicted by the international nuisance in the south west, has been considerably lessened.

PROPER METHODS OF STORING CABBAGE.

A recent writer to the Maine Farmer asked about the method of storing cabbage on an ordinary farm.

The successful storing of cabbage, like most other farm products, is simply a matter of keeping the storage places in the right temperature and avoiding too much moisture. On the farm, the house cellar or any other cellar which can be kept above the freezing temperature is usually a good place for keeping cabbage. The temperature should be gotten down as low as possible and yet above the freezing point, about 35 degrees, and maintained there as nearly as possible.

Cabbages may be and are stored in bins, but shelves are considered better where they may be spread out or placed not more than two or three deep. The heads should be trimmed of their superfluous leaves. When the cabbages go into the house, they must be in perfect condition, disease free, well matured, and carefully handled, and the storage place must be well ventilated. It will be seen, therefore, that the cabbage must be handled carefully from the time they are pulled out of the ground until they are placed on the shelves. They cannot be thrown into a wagon or dumped into a pile without the danger of making bruises that will be fertile ground for the commencement of rot while in storage.

Some varieties are better suited for storage than others. The Danish Ball head variety is said to be mostly grown where it is intended to keep in storage for a long time. The United States Department of Agriculture has issued a circular on "The Decay of Cabbage in Storage; Its Cause and Prevention."

THE DIFFERENCE.

"Edie," asked little Margie, who was slowly spelling words from a first reader, "how can I tell which is 'at' and which is 'a'?"

"Why," replied Edie wisely, "the 'a' has its tummy on its back."

HEALTH OF HOME AND SCHOOL.

The Surest Way to Spread Infection.

While we have for ages been impressed with danger of the spread of disease through the air and by means of clothing, bedding, and the rooms which have presumably been surcharged with infection, we have of late been emphasizing strongly another way in which the infection of certain diseases is spread with almost certainty—by direct infection, "contact infection," it is often called. For example, we may go into the room where there is a case of typhoid fever or of diphtheria, and by observing proper precautions there will be but little danger of taking the disease or of carrying it to others; but if attending to the wants of the patient our hands become contaminated by contact with him or his clothing or bedding or other things which have been soiled by him—then, if without washing or disinfecting our hands very thoroughly we put our fingers to our lips or nose or handle food which is going to our mouths, there is serious danger of taking the disease. If we infect our hands by actual contact with infectious persons or things, or if we carelessly sit upon the infected bed of the sick person, the hands or clothing will be much more likely to carry infection than they would with the much slighter chance of having infection carried to them by the air.

Contact Infection.

What has already been said explains what is meant by contact infection. It only remains to emphasize the large part it has in spreading infectious diseases. In some hospitals, particularly in some of those in Paris, they have been caring for cases of typhoid fever, scarlet fever, diphtheria, measles and even smallpox, all right in the same room together. They have even been taking care of persons with diphtheria, scarlet fever, or other infectious diseases in the rooms of the general hospitals where persons are sick with troubles other than the infectious diseases. And this has been done with a remarkably few transmissions of infections to other patients. These infectious persons have been separated from the other patients by light partitions extending upward only a few feet from the floor or by screens or by partitions of wire netting letting the air circulate freely through, or by only a tape extending around the few feet of floor space belonging to each infectious person—these enclosures only to remind the nurse constantly that she is dealing with infection and that she must always be exact in her obedience to certain rules. And what are these rules? Simply that she shall be scrupulously careful all the time to avoid the infection of her clothing by contact with infected things and that, before leaving the enclosed space, her hands must be washed and disinfected with solutions which are known to be trustworthy. Though we may not be ready to follow the French doctors in their methods, the results in those hospitals and in a few others outside of France have certainly shown how much may be accomplished in preventing the spread of infection by strict precautions against contact infection.

The Mouth, An Open Portal.

Infection may be received into the system by breathing it in or by having it inoculated through the skin by cuts, punctures, or the bites of insects; but the mouth is the principle part of entry for those undesirable immigrants, the disease germs of many of our infectious diseases. We can mention only a few of these infections.

Typhoid Fever.

The large outbreaks of typhoid fever are almost always due to infected water and infected milk, but following the many cases in the outbreaks there is great danger of other cases in the same families coming down as the result of contact infection. One boy in a family of eleven came down sick with typhoid fever. Eight others in this family took the disease from him. In another family one of the boys brought home typhoid fever. The mother, a very untidy woman, with unwashed hands, went from the care of the sick boy to her preparation of the meals for the family. The other two boys came down with a very malignant form of the disease, due undoubtedly to the massive dose of infection the unwashed hands of the mother had developed. Nurses even in hospitals where they are supposed to be well trained and thought of sometimes take typhoid fever from their patients because they do not keep their fingers away from their mouths.

Tuberculosis.

A young man in Maine died with tuberculosis. The caretaker which he had played came into the possession of another young man. The man then had the instrument. He caught the disease from the caretaker and died. A teacher in a high school, an estimable lady who had tuberculosis, was in the habit of greeting her young lady pupils with a kiss. Fear of these young ladies in four different families died with tuberculosis within a few years. Many other histories show what

certainly tuberculosis can be carried by things which pass from lip to lip, or are used in common by tuberculous patients, and other persons—spoons, forks, common drinking cups, pipes, pencils, etc.

Scarlet Fever.

Scarlet fever may be carried in the air, short distances indoors, but there is a greater degree of certainty of its transmission by coming in contact with the sick person—by infecting the fingers, transferring the infection to the mouth or nose, etc. Letters written in the scarlet fever sick-room have been known to carry the disease to the children in families to which such letters were sent many miles away. It is likely that such letters received their infection from the infected hands which wrote them rather than from the infected air. The scales which fall from the skin of persons during the process of peeling (desquamation) are likely to have due consideration, but the public underestimates the infectious character of the secretions from the throat, mouth and nose or the discharge from the ear which may be a sequel to the attack of scarlet fever. These are sources of the infection which may spread the disease by direct or indirect contact infection.

Diphtheria.

In this disease there is great danger of the transmission of infection direct from the sick to other persons or by indirect contact infection when spoons, handkerchiefs or other things from the sick-room are not properly sterilized before other persons use them. In numerous instances the heroic devotion of physicians to their sense of duty has caused their death from diphtheria after applying their lips to the tracheotomy tube which has become obstructed by the infectious membranes from the windpipe and must be removed instantly to save the life of the child. Infection thus received is in massive doses, and the malignancy of infectious diseases seems to depend largely upon the size of the dose of infection received.

The dual word is that the infection of many diseases is spread with the utmost degree of certainty by persons and things which have been in actual contact with the sick persons. It cannot be emphasized too strongly that such persons and things, before they leave or are carried from the sick-room, and before they are used by other persons or come in touch with them, should be sterilized (disinfected) in no uncertain way. Beware of infected fingers.

WHAT THE TEACHER TAUGHT HIM.

The small boy had just returned home after a most tumultuous day at school. "What lesson," asked his father, "was the most impressed on you today by the teacher?" "Dat I need a thicker pair of pants."

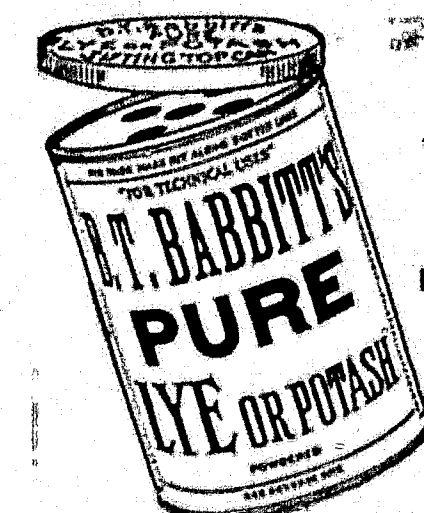
TWENTY-THREE YEARS AMONG AFRICAN CANNIBALS

The Bowdoin Y. M. C. A. will bring to Maine, in the early part of November, Mr. Dan Crawford, the most remarkable African explorer, student and missionary since Livingston. Twenty three years ago he went into the heart of cannibal Africa, carrying on the work that Livingston began. He then that first tried to kill him, then deify him and make him their king, have been changed into civilized races. He returned to England a few months ago, unknown; his book on the African, "Thinking Black" won him instant fame; he lectured in the largest halls in London, was received by Premier Asquith and the dons of Oxford, and made a Fellow of the Royal Geographical Society. He is visiting America for a few months, and Maine is fortunate in securing him for six days. He will lecture in Portland, Lewiston, Waterville and Bangor, and will speak at the four colleges of the State. His illustrated lectures, showing colored views of places in central Africa never seen by any other white man, has been called one of the finest ever delivered in this country. Mr. Crawford believes that the black man is, in many ways, more highly developed than the white. The native African has a poetic side unknown to us, speaks a language with thirty two tones and nineteen numbers, is by nature a firm believer in one God, has had woman suffrage for decades, and trains his child much better than do many whites. The whites who have gone to the Dark Continent have brought slavery, drink and immorality. Mr. Crawford's life in Africa was intensely interesting. For ten years he heard no word of English, and for twenty he wore no starched clothes. He built modern roads and bridges, remedied towns, brought sanitary measures which ended plagues, and translated the Bible into languages never before written out.

This is only one of the missionary activities of the Bowdoin Christian Association. The students contribute largely to the support of a Bowdoin missionary in India, ten mission study classes are conducted among the undergraduates, and home mission work is done among the poor in the college town itself.

NAMING THE CAT.

One evening last summer my neighbor's bright little son, aged four, took dinner with us. After we had finished Clyde became a little blarney, and in order to quiet him I said: "Go and call the kitty in out of the yard." He immediately went to the door, and at the top of his voice began calling: "Come kitty! Come, kitty! Come, kitty!" "Oh," I said, "call her gently, then she'll come." Then he yelled: "'Come, kitty! Come, kitty! Come, kitty!'"—Lip-pincott's.



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